IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of September 29, 2008

John Mueller Group Art Unit: 3752

Serial No. 10/598,628 Examiner: Christopher S. Kim

Filed: September 6, 2006 Confirmation No.: 8197

For: IMPROVED SHOWERHEAD AND VALVE ASSEMBLY FOR RECEIVING A

RINSING SYSTEM

AMENDMENT A

A) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Non-Final Official Action dated August 26, 2008, applicant responds as follows: